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**How I Wonder**

a Poem inspired by *Wonder*, by R.J. Palacio

I shine and twinkle

like a star

But all they ever see

is scars

Why won’t they let

my light shine bright?

They shield and cloak me

like the night

A crease, a wrinkle

my face ajar

I can’t see them for

who they are

Are they friend

or are they foe?

They whisper secrets

I’ll never know.

**Craft and Structure**

4. Determine the meaning of words (figurative language and similes)

5. Explain how (story structure)

6. Describe (point of view)

**Standards:**